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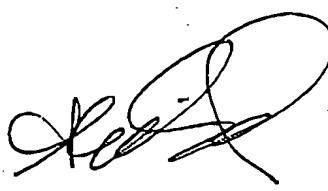
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1. Request for Corrected Notice of Acceptance (2 pages)
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In re application of : **Confirmation No. 9305**
Mikio YAMAHIRO et al. : Attorney Docket No. 2005_0455A
Serial No. 10/528,001 : Group Art Unit 1796
Filed April 5, 2005 : Examiner Thomas L. Matochik
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REQUEST FOR CORRECTED NOTICE OF ACCEPTANCE

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Sir:

Further to a conversation with a representative at PCT Legal Administration today, Applicants enclose herewith a copy of the executed Declaration filed April 5, 2005, together with a copy of a PTO date-stamped postcard indicating the PTO's receipt of such.

The representative at PCT Legal Administration indicated that a Declaration belonging to another application was inadvertently placed in the above-identified application, thus resulting in the PTO incorrectly identifying the filing date and 371(c) date of the present application as July 25, 2005.

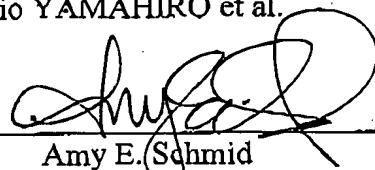
In accordance with the enclosures submitted herewith, Applicants respectfully request that the PTO vacate the Notice of Acceptance mailed November 25, 2005, and replace said Notice of Acceptance with a corrected Notice of Acceptance, indicating a correct 371(c) date of April 5, 2005.

As a Notice of Allowance has been received in this application, the PTO is respectfully requested to expedite the processing of this request.

Respectfully submitted,

Mikio YAMAHIRO et al.

By

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上記名称の発明を記述し特許請求する書類は、以下のいずれかです。

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(X) the specification in International Application No. PCT/IP03/011856, filed on 17 September 2003,
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I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment(s) referred to above.

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JAPAN	2002-270429	September 17, 2002	Yes
JAPAN	2003-129350	May 7, 2003	Yes

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code §120 of any United States application(s), or 365(c) of any PCT international application designating the United States listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code §112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose information material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations,

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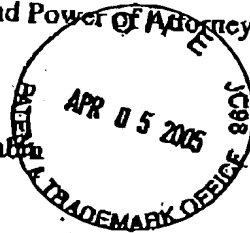
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